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FOR SCHAUFELE FROM EDMONDSON

E.O. 11652: GDS TAGS: PFOR, RH

SUBJ: RHODESIA: LIAISON WITH RICHARD

REF: (A) PRETORIA 051 (NODIS); (B) LONDON 0818 (NODIS)

- 1. IN VIEW OF POSSIBILITY RICHARD WILL PROCEED TO RHODESIA FROM SOUTH AFRICA AND SPEND FEW DAYS SEEING "OTHER INTERESTED GROUPS" AFTER SEEING SMITH (PARA 6 REF A AND PARA 3 REF B), REQUEST YOUR GUIDANCE ON STEPS I SHOULD TAKE TO MAINTAIN LIAISON.
- 2. ACCORDING BRITISH EMBASSY, RICHARD PLANS ARRIVE CAPE TOWN ABOUT 8 PM TONIGHT. BRAND FOURIE IS TRYING SET UP SPECIFIC APPOINTMENT WITH VORSTER FOR WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON. I WILL TRY TO BE IN TOUCH WITH RICHARD THIS EVENING AND WILL PROBABLY SEE HIM TOMORROW MORNING. BRITISH EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS HE WILL PROBABLY STAY TWO NIGHTS THEN GO ON TO SEE SMITH IN SALISBURY AND POSSIBLY SPEND FEW MORE DAYS IN RHODESIA SEEING OTHER GROUPS. BEYOND THAT, HIS PLANS ARE UNCERTAIN. POSSIBILITIES, OF COURSE, INCLUDE RETURNING TO LONDON BRIEFLY OR GOING TO SEE OTHER CONTACTS IN INTERVAL BEFORE OPPORTUNITY TO SEE PATRIOTIC FRONT IN LUSAKA JANUARY 28. I DOUBT IF RICHARD IS DECIDED YET IN HIS OWN MIND WHAT HE WANTS TO DO, BUT I WILL CONFIDENTIAL

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REPORT HIS THINKING AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. BOWDLER

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